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### (U) CALIFORNIA

#### (U) Hanford – 18-Year-Old Woman Sentenced for Human Trafficking of Teen Girls

(U) An 18-year-old Central California woman has been sentenced to 13 years in prison for her role in the pimping and human trafficking of younger girls. Jelinajane Bedrijo Almario was arrested in Hanford in May 2016. Though a juvenile, she was tried as an adult for human trafficking, sending threatening emails to a family member of at least one of the girls and making threats. Hanford police Detective Richard Pontecorvo said Almario was the prime suspect in a pimping ring that involved girls 14 and 15 years old. SOURCE: 4 July 2017, [LA Times](#)

### (U) NATIONAL

#### (U) Nebraska – City Website Hacked; FBI Investigating

(U) Bellevue – Officials said Monday the City of Bellevue's website was hacked by suspects claiming to support the Islamic State of Iraq and al-Sham (ISIS). The city's website, <http://www.bellevue.net/>, was swapped with the message "Hacked by Team System Dz" and "I love Islamic State." A city administrator said they noticed the city's homepage had changed around 2:20 p.m. The city IT department worked quickly to get the picture down and replace it with an "under construction" message until the site was back to normal. The city administrator said they've contacted the FBI to investigate the hacking. SOURCE: 3 July 2017, [WOWT News](#)

#### (U) New York – Officer Shot, Killed While Sitting in Police Car

(U) New York – An on-duty New York City police officer was killed early today after a gunman walked up to her patrol vehicle and fired shots through the window, authorities said. Officer Miosotis Familia, a 12-year veteran, was taken to a Bronx hospital where she was pronounced dead. She was 48 years old, according to police sources. At a press conference this morning, New York City Police Department Commissioner James P. O'Neill said Familia had been shot in the head in an unprovoked attack while sitting with her partner in a marked police command vehicle around 12:30 a.m. ET. O'Neill told reporters the vehicle had been parked there since March 2017 due to increased gang activity in the area. Familia's partner radioed for assistance, while other uniformed officers chased after the suspect, who took off on foot. As the officers confronted the suspect, he drew a revolver and the officers shot and killed him, according to O'Neill. SOURCE: 5 July 2017, [ABC News](#)

### (U) INTERNATIONAL

#### (U) Niger – Extremists Kidnap 37 Women; Nine People Killed

(U) Niamey – Boko Haram extremists have kidnapped 37 women and slit the throats of nine other people at a village in southeastern Niger, the regional governor said yesterday. The attack happened on Sunday near the border with Nigeria. The governor, who went to Ngalewa on Monday, said the village had been singled out because it was known for its resistance to the extremists. Around 300,000 people displaced by jihadist attacks have taken refuge in the region, which already grapples with grinding

poverty. The attack on Sunday coincided with a visit to Niger's western neighbor Mali by French President Emmanuel Macron, aimed at boosting multinational efforts to fight jihadism in countries south of the Sahara.

SOURCE: 4 July 2017, [AFP](#)

**(U) South Korea – US Officials Believe North Korea Tested Intercontinental Ballistic Missile**

(U) Seoul – North Korea fired its first intercontinental ballistic missile yesterday, military officials said, a significant step forward in Pyongyang's weapons program and an escalation of a perilous nuclear standoff with the United States. The United States condemned the test-launch, firing warning missiles and vowing to hold the regime accountable at the United Nations. The ICBM, which is believed to be "two-stage," officials said, would have a range of at least 3,500 miles and thus be able to reach Alaska.

SOURCE: 4 July 2017, [NBC News](#)

**(U) Ukraine – Police Seize Software Company's Servers**

(U) Kiev – Ukraine's national cybercrime unit seized servers belonging to a small company at the center of a global outbreak of malicious software after new activity was detected there, the service said in a statement early today. The tax software firm M.E. Doc was raided to immediately stop the uncontrolled proliferation of malware, and in a series of messages, a cyber-police spokeswoman suggested that M.E. Doc had sent or was preparing to send a new update and added that swift action had prevented any further damage. It wasn't immediately clear how or why hackers might still have access to M.E. Doc's servers. The company has been the focus of intense attention from authorities and cybersecurity researchers since it was identified as the patient zero of the outbreak, which crippled computers at several multinational firms and knocked out cash machines, gas stations and bank branches in Ukraine.

SOURCE: 4 July 2017, [AP](#)

**(U) United Kingdom – Student Arrested in International Cyber Attack**

(U) London – An 18-year-old student in northwestern England has been charged in a series of cyberattacks on the websites of nearly a dozen multinational firms. Jack Chappell is accused of supplying software that crashes websites by flooding them with data and with running a help-desk for cyber criminals. The West Midlands Police said in a statement that Chappell allegedly attacked the websites of T-Mobile, EE, Vodafone, O2, BBC, BT, Amazon, Netflix, Virgin Media, and the National Crime Agency. He is also accused of assisting hackers in a 2015 attack on NatWest. The force's cybercrime unit worked with the FBI, Israeli Police, and Europol's European Cybercrime Centre during the investigation.

SOURCE: 3 July 2017, [ABC News](#)

**(U) United Kingdom – Teen Jailed for Plotting Bomb Attack at Elton John Concert**

(U) London – A British teenager who planned to attack an Elton John concert in London on the fifteenth anniversary of the September 11 attacks was jailed for life on Monday. Haroon Syed, 19, from West London, pleaded guilty to planning an attack between April and September 2016, and has been ordered to serve at least 16 1/2 years. Syed admitted researching potential targets on the internet, including an Elton John concert in Hyde Park and Oxford Street, a busy shopping district. Syed used the internet to try and get weapons to use in a possible attack, and used social media to contact people he believed were like-minded supporters of ISIS.

SOURCE: 3 July 2017, [Reuters](#)

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